Raiders defeat Brookville, lose to Amherst in varsity basketball

A devastating defeat at the hands of a powerful Amherst team, and a breathtaking victory over a scrappy Brookville team brought the Appomattox Raiders' record to 7-3 (6-3 in district) in varsity basketball action last week.

Tuesday's game against Amherst was "very frustrating," according to coach Jim Crawford.

"The kids were worn out from the game Monday night against Rustburg," the coach continued. "We couldn't even slow it down and play a control game."

Two Raiders scored in double figures in the game against Amherst, Larry Kelso with 16 points, and Kim Humbles with 14. Kelso also recorded eight rebouds, and Humbles had three assists.

"Humbles played a solid floor game," Crawford said.

Other standouts in the losing effort Amherst included Shane Abernathy, with nine points and 11 rebounds; Terry Woods, Marvin Johnson, Jonathan Pickett and David Pankey, each with two points; and Alonzo Dillard with one point.

While the Raiders were actually a head by two points midway through the first quarter, the local team had fallen behind 15-16 by the end of that period, and were trailing 36-22 at the half. The third-quarter score was 57-54, and the margin had been increased to 37 points at the game's finish, with the final score 85-48.

Four players scored in double figures for Amherst: Kenny Dickson (16), Mike Herndon (14), David Smith (12) and Marvin Davis(10).

It was a different story for the Raiders Friday night at home, however, as the local team thrilled an appreciative crowd in a seesaw game which saw several lead changes and a determined come-from-behind victory by Appomattox.

Brookville held a two-point advantage at the end of the first quarter, but the scrappy Raiders had evened the score 26-26 at the half.

The second half was a back-and-forth affair, with Brookville leading 45-42 at the end of the third quarter. The Raiders surged forward with a 20-point fourth quarter, however, and the final score stood at 62-57.

Larry Kelso again led all scorers, with 27 points in the Brookville game, as well as seven rebounds. Shane Abernathy also excelled against Brookville, with 16 points and ten rebounds.

Other scorers against Brookville include Marvin Johnson with seven points and six rebounds, Steve Cobb with five points, Kim Humbles with four points, Jonathan Pikcett with two points, and Terry Woods with one point and four assists.

Crawford commended Kelso for his second-half play, as well as Abernathy for his inside game and Woods for his floor play.

The Raiders went 14 for 21 from the foul line against Brookville.

Appomattox's Shane Abernathy goes up for two in Friday's victory over Brookville, as Terry Woods (left) and Marvin Johnson look on. The victory was a hard-fought one for the Raiders, with several lead changes, after a tough loss Tuesday to Amherst.

Girls drop Amherst, Brookville

The Appomattox High School varsity Raiderettes scored their fourth and fifth victories of the season last week, with wins over powerful teams from Amherst and Brookville.

Susan Handy and Ruby Smith captured game scoring honors with 15 and 14 points, respectively, as the Raiderettes downed Amherst 50-33 Tuesday. Handy scored seven field goals and went out for two at the freethrow line, and Smith sank five baskets and scored four of nine foul shots.

The Raiderettes built up a strong margin the first half, leading 11-4 at the end of the first quarter, and 22-15 at the half. The Appomattox team extended its lead to 10 by the end of the third quarter, 33-23 and by the end of the game, the girls had build up a 17-point advantage.

With Handy's and Ruby Smith's performance, Annette Carter scored eight, Debbie Smith scored four, Johnna Belter scored seven, and Karen Johnson scored two.

The victory brought the Raiderettes' season record to four wins, three losses, and dropped the Amherst team's record to 2-3. Center Shannon Horton, with 12 points, and forward Denise Parrish, with 10 points were high scorers for Amherst.

Three Raiderettes scored in double figures in the 46-32 Appomattox victory over Brookville Friday night at home.

Annette Carter scored 16 points, and Debbie Smith and Susan Handy each had 11 points in a game which saw the home team come from a 19-20 halftime deficit to score their fifth victory this season.

The score stood at 12-10, in Brookville, at the end of the first quarter. The Raiderettes scored nine points in the second quarter, but a second-half explosion for 20 points put the Appomattox team in the driver's seat, and when the final buzzer sounded, the girls had their fifth win under their belt.

With the double-figure scorers in the Brookville game were Johnna Belter, who scored two points, and Ruby Smith, who scored three field goals for six points.

Annette Carter shot 100 percent from the foul line for the local team, and Debbie Smith (one for two) and Susan Handy (three for six) added fifty-percent performances from the freethrow line.

Raiderette's Susan Handy goes up for two against Brookville, as Ruby Smith (left) looks on. The victory brought the Appomattox team's record to 5-3.

SPORTS

Little league basketball notice

The gym at the Middle School will be open Wednesday night (Jan. 16) from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Children in the 8-9, 10-11 and 12-13 year old age groups that wish to come out for this basketball clinic may do so at this time. Drills and fundamentals on the game will be discussed and practice will be conducted for a short while. Coaches are still very much in need for this program. If you are interested in helping with a team please try to be there or you may call Billy Thompson at 352-7304.

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Sonics	0	1

12 - 13 yr. olds

	Won	Lost
76ers	1	0
Sonics	1	0
Tarheels	0	1
Cavaliers	0	1

In the 10-11 yr. old group the Hornets won 24-0 over the Sonics. Alex Almond had 16 points for the winners.

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Miss Moore wed to Mr. Bailey

The marriage of Miss Pearl Elizabeth Moore to John Wayne Bailey took place Saturday afternoon, Dec. 22, 1979, at 3:00 p.m. at Alabama Baptist Church in Pamplin.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Moore of Pamplin and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny J. Bailey of Appomattox.

The bride was escorted and given in marriage by her father.

Miss Alice Moore of Norfolk served as her sister's maid of honor.

Mr. Charles Bailey served as his brother's best man.

Attendants of the bride were Mrs. Joyce Walker and Miss Ruth Jackson, both of Pamplin; and Miss Phyllis Bailey and Lisa Bailey of Appomattox, sisters of the bridegroom. Junior bridesmaids were Miss Catherine Bailey and Miss Ann Wiley of Pamplin.

Candle bearers were Miss Joyce Bailey, Miss Alice Jackson, Miss Sharon Bailey, Mr. Kent Bailey, Mr. Arthur Wheeler and Mr. Johnathan Edwards, all of Pamplin. Ushers were Joseph and Willie Chambers, both of Appomattox, cousins of the bridegroom.

Master Sinclair Walker of Pamplin, nephew of the bride, served as ring bearer.

Music for the occasion was provided by Mrs. Catherine Haskins, pianist, and Mrs. Connie Wesley, soloist.

Special guests for the occasion were Elder Thaddius Moore of Crewe, grandfather of the bride; and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Edwards of Baltimore, Maryland.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Pamplin.

Club plans meeting

The Young Hearts Club will meet Thursday, Jan. 24, at 10:30 a.m. at Memorial United Methodist Church in the Fellowship Hall.

All members are encouraged to attend and visitors are welcomed.

Miss Murphy engaged to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Murphy of Hurley announce the engagement of their daughter, Debbie, to Mr. John Scott Paulette, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Paulette of Appomattox.

The wedding is planned for March 1, 1980, at 4 p.m. at Evergreen Baptist Church. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Reception will immediately follow the ceremony.

Bosigers announce birth

Mr. and Mrs. Garet Bosiger of Appomattox are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Dana Leigh. Dana was born Dec. 19 at Virginia Baptist Hospital and she weighed eight pounds and ten ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cordell of Appomattox. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Bosiger of Gretna.

Primms announce birth

Mr. and Mrs. Earl M. Primm of Appomattox announce the birth of a son, Christopher Earl, 5 lbs. 12 ozs., born Friday, Dec. 21, at Virginia Baptist Hospital.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Garrett and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Primm, and the maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Ernest Goin.

Pamplin Community Center holds annual meeting

Pamplin Community Center, Inc. held its annual meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 18, at 8:00 p.m. in Elon Baptist Church in Pamplin. Vice President J. A. Williams presided over the meeting.

A progress report was made based on the three year operation of the Community Center softball field and concession stand. Present facilities at the Community Center include a regulation softball/ Little League baseball field, concession stand, restroom facilities and parking area for over 100 vehicles.

During 1979 over 6,000 people participated in programs at the Community Center, which included softball tournaments, major and minor Little League baseball, church league softball games, a county music show and a family fun day that included a fireworks display.

Plans for 1980 include the construction of a tennis court and children's playground. Volunteer labor and assistance will be needed to complete this goal.

Volunteer labor at the Center in 1979 totaled nearly 1200 man hours and when combined with labor contributed by members of Pamplin Community Center or volunteers amounted to nearly 3,000 total hours of labor.

A current financial report was made by O. H. Tolley, Sr., Treasurer, which indicated that nearly half of the original note ($25,000) had been repaid in the three years that the Center has been in operation.

Prior to adjournment of the meeting, members discussed management of the Center for the coming year.

A six-member Board of Directors was elected to serve in 1980. Members of the Board include T. Ryland Womack, O. H. Tolley, Sr., H. W. Coleman, Jr., Frank H. Sweet, R. E. McClenny, Jr. and Frank Ramsey.

Any interested citizen is invited to become a member of Pamplin Community Center, Inc. Annual dues are $5.00 and may be sent to Pamplin Community Center, Inc., Pamplin, Va. 23958, c/o O. H. Tolley, Sr., Treasurer.

Named to dean's honor list

Cadet Scott Barger of Warrenton, third classman at Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, has been named to the dean's honor list for outstanding academic achievement.

In order to make the dean's list at V.M.I., a student must earn a 3.5 grade point average or better in the school's 4.0 grading system. Barger earned a 3.7 average.

He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Barger of Appomattox.

Karen Carter on dean's list

One student from Appomattox County made the dean's list at Virginia Tech during the Fall quarter.

Karen F. Carter of Appomattox, a junior majoring in Agricultural Education, earned this honor.

To make the dean's list at Tech, a student has to make a 3.4 average or better in the University's 4.0 grading system.

Eastern Star to meet

The regular monthly meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held Monday, Jan. 21, in the Chapter Room at 8 p.m.

Initiation of new members will be held at this time.

All members are urged to attend.

Virginia T. Ferguson
Secretary

Reynolds - Martin wedding planned

Mr. Robert L. Reynolds of Lynchburg and Mrs. Gloria Reynolds of Appomattox are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Catherine Darlene Reynolds of Appomattox, to Barry Nelson Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Martin of Spout Spring.

The wedding will take place Feb. 1 at 2 p.m. in the Woodman of the World Hall in Appomattox.

All family and friends are invited to attend.

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Lt. and Mrs. David Wheeler have returned to their home in De Ridder, La. after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wheeler of Appomattox and other relatives.

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Leslie Totty of Spout Spring is a patient in Lynchburg General Hospital where he is recovering from recent surgery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wheeler spent Sunday with their son, Tommy Wheeler, in Wakefield.

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Mr. J. E. Jamerson is a patient in Lynchburg General Hospital where he is receiving treatment.

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Ed Cawthorne has returned home from Virginia Baptist Hospital where he received treatment.

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Then and now

BY FRANCES H. PAULETTE

THERE'VE BEEN SOME CHANGES MADE!
Now I never dreamed I'd see the day.
When he'd sell the paper and walk away....
But, to our surprise, and amid our tears,
Lloyd Vaughan sold out after seventeen years.

Never thought it would happen.....no sir! He'd talk about it from time to time, and then the talk would cease and we'd forget all about the possibility of anyone other than Lloyd Vaughan owning the Times-Virginian.

Owner, editor, publisher, advertising manager of the Times Virginian.....friend to all, that was Lloyd Vaughan.

There's one thing I can say about Lloyd, he doesn't know how to talk to strangers..... he's never met one! To him, all people are his friend; he'd even give his hat and coat to a total stranger if they needed it.

Speaking of Lloyd's hat and coat, I am reminded of just how many times we'd lose Lloyd! (Do you think it could have been intentional?) Often, we needed to ask a question or possibly give him a message and he couldn't be found. Going through the various offices trying to 'find' him and there they would be, the familiar hat and coat thrown on a counter, a desk or chair. We knew then he was somewhere around. When we REALLY needed him he was always there.

My former "Boss" would do just about anything for any one of his employees except 'stay put' and listen! This was especially true on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Then after the paper was out for that week, he'd be gone for "Coffee Breaks" or "A Second Breakfast" and would still be hard to find. If you were lucky and got him to stand still long enough to listen, you'd think," Finally I'll get to tell him about this idea or that," and away you'd go—talking and talking.

You finish the conversation, wait for an answer and then comes that familiar, "Huh? Uh-huh." That did it! You knew he hadn't been listening after all!

Lloyd makes friends everywhere he goes. On one occasion, when he was a patient in the Virginia Baptist Hospital, I went to visit him. When I reached his room he was nowhere to be found. I finally asked a nurse at the desk if it was possible he was off the floor for tests or X-rays or something of that nature.

Smiling she replied, "Just walk up and down his hall; you'll find him visiting in one of the rooms." I walked up and down until I recognized his voice, happily engaged in conversation with another patient on the floor.

When the time came for him to leave he remarked, "You know, I kind of hate to leave....I'll be leaving all the new friends I've made!"

Lloyd made his choice carefully when he finally decided to sell the paper. Atlantic Publications is made up of men of high caliber; men whose standards are equal to those by which Lloyd Vaughan not only ran the paper but lived every facet of his life.

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THEN, it was Lloyd.....NOW it's Bill.

If you have time, come "set a spell" with me next week and I'll introduce you to Bill.....Editor NOW. (That is, if I can get him to 'stay put' long enough to get the information!)

An Important P.S.

Lloyd Vaughan is by no means retired.....he's just out of the newspaper business. He's definitely in the office supply business, on the ground floor of the Times-Virginian building. Be sure to go by and pay him a visit; if you see his hat and coat laying around, he's somewhere around. If not, Mrs. Brown will help you.

We wish you much success, Lloyd, in Appomattox Office Supplies. Just don't take too many 'coffee breaks'!!

W. Lloyd Vaughan

Miss Reynolds engaged to marry

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reynolds of Red House, Virginia announce the engagement of their daughter, Anita Brenda, to Mr. Michael Allen Davis, son of Mrs. Virginia W. Davis of Waynesboro, Virginia.

Miss Reynolds is a 1976 graduate of Randolph-Henry High School and a graduate of Southside Virginia Community College. She is presently employed as a legal secretary for the firm of Franklin, Franklin & Denney in Waynesboro.

Mr. Davis is a graduate of Waynesboro High School and Valley Vocational-Technical Center, Fishersville, Virginia. He is presently employed at Fishburne Military School in Waynesboro.

A March wedding is planned.

Beta Sigma Phi plans Valentine dance

The Delta Zeta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi will hold its annual Valentine Dance Feb. 8, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Avalon Club.

Music will be provided by the Lynchburg Express of Lynchburg, Va.

Tickets are $10 per couple and will go on sale the third week of January.

Anyone wishing to purchase tickets may contact Bonnie Yankey at 352-8201 or 352-7371, Ann Wilcox at 352-5561, Vicki Lucado at 352-7093 or any chapter member.

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